



**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Applicant:

GOLDMAN Arnold J. et al

Serial No.: 09/746,014

Filed: December 26, 2000

For: Model Predictive Control (MPC) System  
Using Doe Based Model

Examiner: Fred O. Ferris III

Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450§  
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Group Art Unit: 2128

Attorney  
Docket: 00/21288

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a)**

Sir:

(1) This is a petition for an extension of time to respond to the Office Action mailed July 20, 2004, for a period of one month.

(2) Applicant is a:  
  X   small entity       other than small entity

(3)	Extension	Fee for small entity <u>small entity</u>	Fee for other than <u>small entity</u>
	<u>  X  </u> one month	\$ 55	\$ 110
	<u>      </u> two months	\$ 215	\$ 430
	<u>      </u> three months	\$ 490	\$ 980
	<u>      </u> four months	\$ 765	\$ 1530
	<u>      </u> five months	\$1040	\$ 2080

(4) An amendment   X   is filed herewith  
       has been filed

(5) Authorization to charge the above extension fee of \$55 to the Credit Card number listed on the attached Credit Card Payment Form PTO-2038 is attached herewith. In the event additional fees are required, please charge these additional fees to Deposit Account 50-1407. In the unlikely event payment by the Credit Card issuer is refused, please charge the extension fee of \$55 to Deposit Account 50-1407.

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Date: November 18, 2004

Respectfully submitted,

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